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Department of Panchayat Raj and Community Development

Directorate of Panchayats

Notification

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Whereas the draft of the Goa Panchayat and Zilla Panchayat (Election Procedure) (First Amendment) Rules, 1999, were published as required by sub-section (1) of section 240 of the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 (Goa Act 14 of 1994), at pages 429 and 430 of the Official Gazette, Series I No. 28, dated 7th October, 1999, under Notification No. 38/DP/TP/ELN/1999 dated 5-10-1999 of the Department of Panchayat Raj and Community Development, inviting objections and suggestions from all the persons likely to be affected thereby before the expiry of ten days from the date of publication of the said Notification in the Official Gazette;

And Whereas the said Gazette was made available to the public on 7th October, 1999;

And Whereas no objections and suggestions have been received from the public on the said draft amendment rules.

Now, Therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 15 and sub-section (2) of section 125, read with section 115K and sub-section (1) of section 240 of the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 (Goa Act 14 of 1994), the Government of Goa hereby makes the following rules, namely:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*— (1) These rules may be called the Goa Panchayat and Zilla Panchayat (Election Procedure) (First Amendment) Rules, 1999.

(2) They shall come into force at once.

2. *Application of certain rules to Taluka Panchayat.*— All the rules and forms applicable to the elections of the Zilla Panchayat contained in the Goa Panchayat and Zilla Panchayat (Election Procedure) Rules, 1996 (hereinafter called the principal "Rules"), shall be applicable to the elections of the Taluka Panchayat and the words "Zilla Panchayat" wherever appearing in the said rules, shall be construed as reference to "Taluka Panchayat".

3. *Amendment of rule 10.*— In rule 10 of the principal Rules, in sub-rule (3), for the words "fifteen days", the words "seven days" shall be substituted.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

G. G. Kambli, Ex-Officio Joint Secretary and Director of Panchayats.

Panaji, 29th October, 1999.